



1           c. Has graduated from a school of barbering  
 2 approved by the Department, having completed a total of  
 3 1500 hours in the study of barbering extending over a  
 4 period of not less than 9 months nor more than 3 years.  
 5 A school of barbering may, at its discretion, consistent  
 6 with the rules of the Department, accept up to 500 hours  
 7 of cosmetology school training at a recognized  
 8 cosmetology school toward the 1500 hour course  
 9 requirement of barbering. Time spent in such study under  
 10 the laws of another state or territory of the United  
 11 States or of a foreign country or province shall be  
 12 credited toward the period of study required by the  
 13 provisions of this paragraph; and

14           d. Has passed an examination caused to be conducted  
 15 by the Department or its designated testing service to  
 16 determine fitness to receive a license as a barber; and

17           e. Has met all other requirements of this Act.

18           (2) If the applicant applies for a license as a barber  
 19 on September 2, 2003 or September 3, 2003, the Department may  
 20 accept a verified 10 years of experience as a barber or  
 21 barber's apprentice before July 1, 2003 in lieu of the  
 22 requirements in items c and d of subsection (1) of this  
 23 Section.

24 (Source: P.A. 89-387, eff. 1-1-96; 89-706, eff. 1-31-97.)

25 (225 ILCS 410/3-2) (from Ch. 111, par. 1703-2)  
 26 (Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2006)  
 27 Sec. 3-2. Licensure; qualifications.

28 (1) A person is qualified to receive a license as a  
 29 cosmetologist who has filed an application on forms provided  
 30 by the Department, pays the required fees, and:

- 31           a. Is at least 16 years of age; and
- 32           b. Has graduated from an eighth grade elementary
- 33           school, or its equivalent; and

1           c. Has graduated from a school of cosmetology  
2 approved by the Department, having completed a total of  
3 1500 hours in the study of cosmetology extending over a  
4 period of not less than 8 months nor more than 7  
5 consecutive years. A school of cosmetology may, at its  
6 discretion, consistent with the rules of the Department,  
7 accept up to 500 hours of barber school training at a  
8 recognized barber school toward the 1500 hour program  
9 requirement of cosmetology. Time spent in such study  
10 under the laws of another state or territory of the  
11 United States or of a foreign country or province shall  
12 be credited toward the period of study required by the  
13 provisions of this paragraph; and

14           d. Has passed an examination authorized by the  
15 Department to determine fitness to receive a license as a  
16 cosmetologist. The requirements for remedial training set  
17 forth in Section 3-6 of this Act may be waived in whole  
18 or in part by the Department upon proof to the Department  
19 that the applicant has demonstrated competence to again  
20 sit for the examination. The Department shall promulgate  
21 rules establishing the standards by which such  
22 determination shall be made; and

23           e. Has met any other requirements of this Act.

24           (2) If the applicant applies for a license as a  
25 cosmetologist on September 1, 2000 or September 2, 2000, the  
26 Department may accept a verified 10 years of cosmetology  
27 experience, which may include esthetics or nail technology  
28 experience, before July 1, 2000 in lieu of the requirements  
29 in items c and d of subsection (1) of this Section.

30           (3) If the applicant applies for a license as a  
31 cosmetologist on September 2, 2003 or September 3, 2003, the  
32 Department may issue a license to the applicant if he or she  
33 has met all of the requirements of subsection (1) of this  
34 Section except item d.

1 (Source: P.A. 91-863, eff. 7-1-00.)

2 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon

3 becoming law."